

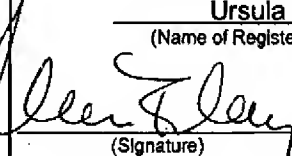
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: SCHOLTY SSEK

In re Application of:)
WERNER SCHOLTY SSEK ET AL.)
Appl. No.: 10/563,081) Examiner: Marie Reddick
) Group Art Unit: 1796
Filed: April 21, 2008) Confirmation No.: 8109
For: AQUEOUS ADHESIVE COMPOSITION)

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed on enclosed form PTO-1449 which were cited in a corresponding European patent application.

Applicant does not admit that any of the cited documents constitutes prior art against the pending application.

Copies of these references are submitted herewith along with form PTO-1449. The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached references have been considered and made of record.

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In order to satisfy the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3) for a concise explanation of the relevance of each item of information, applicant notes with respect to any information that is not in English language as follows:

German Patent document DD 222 881 A1 describes a method for the production of polyvinyl acetate dispersions with improved rheologic properties through emulsion polymerization and use of a polyvinyl alcohol as dispersion agent having a bimodal molecular weight distribution.

German Patent Document DE 199 49 332 A1 corresponds to US Patent No. 6730718 and describes water-resistant aqueous dispersion adhesives with prolonged pot life and good color constancy of their bonds, comprising homopolymeric and/or copolymers polyvinyl esters, polymeric protective colloids, water-soluble compounds which can be complexed with the polymeric protective colloids, and derivatives of glyoxal and polyaldehydes having at least 3 carbon atoms, from which aldehyde groups can be controllably released in acidic media. The inventive dispersion adhesives are suitable for adhesively bonding porous and semiporous substrates.

German publication by Farbwerke Hoechst AG "Mowilith DHL ca. 50%" describes a homopolymer polyvinyl acetate dispersion that is free of softener; wherein the polyvinyl alcohol is a protective colloid. The parameters of the Molowilith DHL are given in the paper.

German publication by Wacker-Chemie GmbH "Vinnapas LL 8618" describes wood adhesive which is a 55% aqueous polyvinyl acetate dispersion. Viscosity and other parameters are listed.

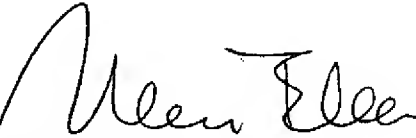
The above-identified application discloses and claims an invention patentable over this prior art.

Entry of the references above set forth into the file of the above application is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested.

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